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Applicant(s): Stoltze et al

Examiner: Unassigned

Application: 10/020,592

Group Art Unit: 3764

Filed: December 12, 2001

Docket: 760-46 CIP/PCT/USA/CON 2

For: CATHETER WITH A STENT AND
METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION
OF A CATHETER WITH STENT

Date: April 9, 2002

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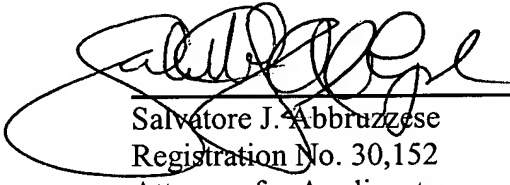
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In view of the documents submitted herewith, Applicant respectfully urges that the application is in condition for examination. Please direct any questions regarding this submission to Applicants' undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,



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